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1. [redacted] Armies of the Chinese Communist
9 Army Group were at Hwangcholgae (127-03, 39-54)*. Each army had
40 to 50 thousand men; the total original strength of the group was
150,000. [redacted] the group had suffered 60 percent casualties on
the eastern Korean front and only 70,000 (sic) remain.**

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2. [redacted] the headquarters of the 3 Field Army was also at
Hwangcholgae.*

3. Chinese Communist officer war prisoners believed [redacted]
the 9 Army Group was still attacking and that the 3 Field Army was
in the Wonsan area.***

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* [redacted] Comment. This is likely Hwangcholgae at 127-04, 39-54.

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** [redacted] Comment. [redacted]
more than one-half of the Chinese Communist 9 Army Group had
been killed or wounded, and that troop morale was low.

*** [redacted] Comment. The 9 Army Group is a part of the 3 Field Army.

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